



## PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Takanori SUZUKI

Art Unit: 1746

Application No.: 09/975,969

Examiner: Jonathan Crepeau

Filed: October 15, 2001

Attorney Dkt. No.: 107348-00151

For: FUEL CELL POWER SYSTEM

**AMENDMENT AND FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: November 30, 2004

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified patent application.

- A statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is attached.
  - Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a statement previously submitted.
  - No additional claim fee is required.
  - The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL CLAIMS	10 MINUS	20	=0
INDEP CLAIMS	6 MINUS	3	=3
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			

SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADD'L FEE
x 9	\$
x 44	\$
+150	\$
	\$

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADD'L FEE
x 18	\$
x 88	\$264
+300	\$
	\$264

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER CFR 1.116  
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Sir:

In reply to the outstanding Office Action dated August 30, 2004, reconsideration of the above-identified patent application is respectfully requested in view of the remarks on the following pages.